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SUCCESSFUL SESSION-OFFICERS ELECTE -TO MEET AT ALBANY IN OCTOBER. On Friday, the 12th inst., a number of the editors and other representatives hotel at Yaquina City and effected the organization of the Oregon Press Association, The following persons enrolled their names as members: J. R. N. Bell, Roseburg Review

M. L. Pipes, Benton Leader. Coll. Van Cleve, Yaquina Post. Chas. Nickell, Jacksonville Times. Will H. Parry, Corvallis Gazette. J. S. McCain, Salem Sentry. E. Rands, Oregon City Enterprise.

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come members. These we print in

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the evening and Miss Doughty, Mrs. Never mind me, beys, go right ahead. Train, Mrs. Phelps, Mrs. Van Cleye, We're none of us rich, but we're Mrs. Stinson, Mrs. M. C. Pipes, E. O. Norton and J. W Webb became members. J. B. Fithian, W. H. Parry and world. May fortune smile its sweet-J. R. N. Bell were appointed a com- est smile upon your efforts to organize mittee to consider and report upon the a Press Association. Should the first recommendation of some Portland newspaper men that the legislature be be held at Brooks or Eola, you asked to require probate proceedings and pawnbrokers sales published.

It was carried that when the Association adjourn, it adjourn to meet at Albany October 14th next. The second Friday in August 1888 was then chosen as the time and the State House in Salem as the place for holding the next regular annual meeting. The keeps me away, but fare money and a Albany members were appointed committee of arrangements for the October meeting, and Coll Van Cleve. F. P. Nutting and E. O. Norton were appointed a committee to prepare programme for that occasion. The meeting was successful, both in

point of number and the spirit mani-REGRETS. OFFICE N. P. RURAL SPIRIT, PORTLAND, Or., July 27, '87. GENTLEMEN:-Please accept my thanks for your kind invitation to attend State Press Association to be held at Yaquina City, August 12th and 13th. I would be pleased indeed

with much respect,

Your ob't. sev't. W. W. BAKER. OFFICE OF PLAINDEADER ROSEBURG, July 27, '87 Cleve and J. H. Aldrich, Com. In .- will be attained, believe me to be Your very kind invitation to be present at your proposed fraternal and business meeting is before me. In reply, please allow me to say that, while it would afford me great pleasure to join you on that occasion (and ground is not necessary.

Yours respectfully, W. F. BENJAMIN. OFFICE OF ASTORIAN ASTORIA, July 28, '87 GENTLEMEN: Replying to your courteous invitation, will say that I will try to have the Astorian represented on the 12th and 13th prox. The purpose is a commendable one, Invitation received, but I find it im, and the intent appeals to the best interest of the State press.

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idea of packing my blankets and grub-The Association met at Newport in sack under a sweltering August sun, proud all the same, and what's more we work for what little we get in this annual meeting of the Association may count me as present, no matter about the condition of the walking.

Yours in Ope et Conselio. H. C. GUILD. P. S.-Enclosed please find 6 cents in stamps to help defray expenses of Association. If more is needed drop me a card. It is not stinginess that new suit, b'jersey. H. C. G.

OFFICE OF WEST SHORE. PORTLAND, July 30. M. L. Pipes, Coll. VanCleve, J. H. Aldrich-Gentlemen:-Previous busi ness engagements from Aug. 1st to 15th will prevent my availing myself of your kind invitation to attend a meeting of the editorial fraternity of Oregon at your enterprising city. In spirit I will be with you.

Sincerely yours,

Yours faithfully,

A. C. A. PERKES

L, SAMUEL OFFICE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE, PORTLAND, July 30, '87. DEAR SIRS:-Let me thank you for your kind invitation to be present at impossible for me to say definitely whether I can attend at all. Friday way arrange it I will do myself the

To In. Com., Yaquina, OFFICE CATHOLIC SENTINEL PORTLAD, July 30, '87. Messrs, M. L. Pipes, Coll. Van in any manner possible.

M. G. MUNLY. OFFICE CANYON CITY NEWS, CANYON CITY, Aug. 1, '87. State Press Association-Gents:possible to be present at your meeting. Continued on 4th Page.

Very respectfully,

Reaching this Great Empire.

ich, Committee on Invitation-Gentlemen:-Your gilt-edged favor of no date to hand, and duly considered. Yes I am much in favor of a Press Association; think it will do good: can't raise a single objection. But what Ope et Conselio means, I confess, of Oregon papers met at the Yaquina I don't know. Our Devil thinks it means "come if you can," but there's the rub. Last January I made a resolve to wear my old clothes out, and while I have a Prince Albert coat that isn't much soiled, my pants and vest are covered with ink to such an extent that the grease extracto, which we took in payment for 1,000 bill heads is inefficacious. A friend offers to lend me his best suit, but as I wear 42 around the waist, and his are only 32 I can't use them. Another impediment is that I can't ra'se the money to pay fare. Deady's decision has done away with free passes, and you can see for yourselves, just how I am situated. I have been thinking since the receipt of your polite Ope et Conselio. P. L. Campbell, Independence West how much I might enjoy myself cating clams by the seaside, and catching Robt, Johnson and Frank Hodgkin. those lovely water agates from the On motion, M. L. Pipes was elected wharf when the tide is low. A red temporary chairman and Charles Nick- salmon ought to take well with agates. ell was chosen temporary secretary. I am all fixed for fishing tackle. My The secretary then read a number of wife says she can boil a ham, and cook letters from other editors sending repup a jar of doughnuts for the trip but grets and indicating a desire to be what shall I wear ! Overalls (blue) would suit the complexion of the ocean first rate, but my wife thinks the aristocracy of the Bay might snub me, and as an independent editor, always After remarks by several members re- on the right side of all public questions cess was taken until 8 o'clock the next I won't stand any such humiliation, if I can help it, However if I can't be Meeting promptly called to order at with you in new store clothes, I will appointed time. On recommendation be with you in spirit and in truth, of committee the temporary were made b'jersey. Go ahead and elect your the permanent organization and a con- officers-I'm out of politics now, but

to attend, but arrangements in advance the Editors' meeting on the 12th and will prevent me from doing so. I am, 13th prox. I greatly regret that it is is my busiest day; but if I can any pleasure of joining you on Saturday. Messrs. M. L. Pipes, Coll. Van- Trusting the object of the meeting

will if practicable), I am unable to say Cleve and J. H. Aldrich, Com. of at this writing, whether I can or not. State Press Association, Yaquina, Or. Some such association it seems to me, -Gentlemen-I beg to acknowledge is necessary, and I trust you will have your kind invitation to attend a meet a full attendance of the brotherhood, ing of the "Editorial Fraternity of and that you will organize. You Oregon" at Yaqvina City on the 12th have my best wishes for the enter- prox. I regret that my duties are prise, and any aid I can give will be such that I cannot hope to be present cheerfully given-my counsel on the at your proposed meeting, and wish you all success in perfecting organization of the State press of Oregon and assurances of my hearty co-operation

> However I heartily concur in the good work, and hope we may in due time